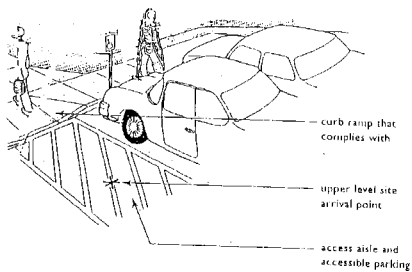


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Note:

Ramp cannot be part of accessible aisle

Site Plans:

Large scale plan and of accessible parking space and parking sign should appear on the site plan as well as sign dimensions and detail

Parking and Passenger Loading Zone

The increasing use of vans with side mounted lifts or ramps by persons with disabilities has necessitated some revisions in specifications for parking spaces and adjacent access aisles. The typical accessible parking spaces is 96 in (2440 mm) wide with 60 in (1525 mm) access aisle. However, this aisle does not permit lifts or ramps to be deployed and still leave room for a person using a wheelchair or other mobility aid to exit the lift platform or ramp. In tests conducted with actual lift/van/ wheelchair combinations, (under a Board-sponsored Accessible Parking and Loading Zone Project) research found that a space and aisle totaling almost 204 in (5180mm) wide was necessary to deploy a lift and conveniently. The "van" accessible parking space required by these guidelines provide a 96 in (2440 mm) wide space with a 96 in (2440mm) adjacent access aisle which is just wide enough to maneuver and exit from a side mounted lift. If a 96 in (2440 mm) access aisle is placed between two Spaces, two "van accessible" spaces are created. Alternatively, if the wide access aisle is provided at the end of a row (an area often unused), it may be possible to provide the wide access aisle without additional space. A sign is needed to alert van users to the presence of the wider aisle, but the space is not intended to be restricted only to vans.

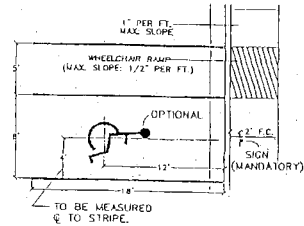
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Accessible parking spaces serving a particular building shall be located on the shortest accessible route of travel from adjacent parking to an accessible entrance. In buildings with multiple accessible entrances with adjacent parking, accessible parking spaces shall be dispersed and located closest to the accessible entrance.

Accessible Parking Space Size

Accessible parking spaces shall be at least 96-inches wide. Parking access aisles shall be part of an accessible route to the building or facility entrance and shall comply with 4.3. Two (2) accessible parking spaces may share a common access aisle. Parking spaces and access aisle shall be level with surface slope not exceeding 1:50 in all directions

Parking Stall layout:



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Handicap Stall Sign:



NOTES:
VAN ACCESSIBLE STALL TO BE 16' WIDE.
ALL OTHER HANDICAPPED STALLS TO BE 13' WIDE.
REQUIRED HANDICAPPED SIGN SHALL BE 60"-72" ABOVE SURFACE OF PARKING SPACE.
ACCESSIBLE PARKING SPACES SHALL BE LOCATED ON THE SHORTEST ACCESSIBLE ROUTE TO ACCESSIBLE ENTRANCE.
PARKING SPACES & ACCESS AISLES SHALL BE LEVEL WITH SURFACE.
SLOPES NOT TO EXCEED 2% IN ALL DIRECTIONS.

Number of accessible parking spaces required:

Total Parking in lot	Required Minimum Number of Accessible Spaces
1 to 25	1
26 to 50	2
51 to 75	3
76 to 100	4
101 to 150	5
151 to 200	6
201 to 300	7
301 to 400	8
401 to 500	9
501 to 1000	2 percent of total
1001 and over	20 plus 1 for each

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